

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, GB

SUBJECT: SANTA CLARA MINERAL PORT

1. SOROS ASSOCIATES (SA) REPORTS DAMAS SIGNED CONTRACT  
IN PARIS MAY 4 FOR SA DESIGN SANTA CLARA MINERAL PORT  
SUBJECT TO U.S. FINANCING. ACCORDING TO SA, 7 OR 8  
ADDITIONAL GOG OFFICIALS MUST SIGN TO PROVIDE VALID GOG  
COMMITMENT. DAMAS WAS KEYSTONE, HOWEVER, THE OTHER GOG  
OFFICIALS HAVING INDICATED THEY WOULD SIGN IN LIBREVILLE  
AFTER DAMAS. PRESIDENT BONGO APPARENTLY NOT INCLUDED  
AMONG PROSPECTIVE GOG SIGNATORIES.

2. AS IT DEEMS APPROPRIATE, EMBASSY SHOULD DISCRETELY  
MONITOR PROGRESS GOG SIGNING, REPORTING TO COMMERCE ANY  
INDICATIONS GOG DELAY, RECONSIDERATION OR OTHER POSSIBLE  
SLIPPAGE.

3. EMBASSY COMMENT CONCERNING IMPLICATIONS, IF ANY, OF  
APPARENT ABSENCE PRESIDENT BONGO FROM GOG ROSTER OF  
PROSPECTIVE SIGNATORIES WOULD BE APPRECIATED. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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